

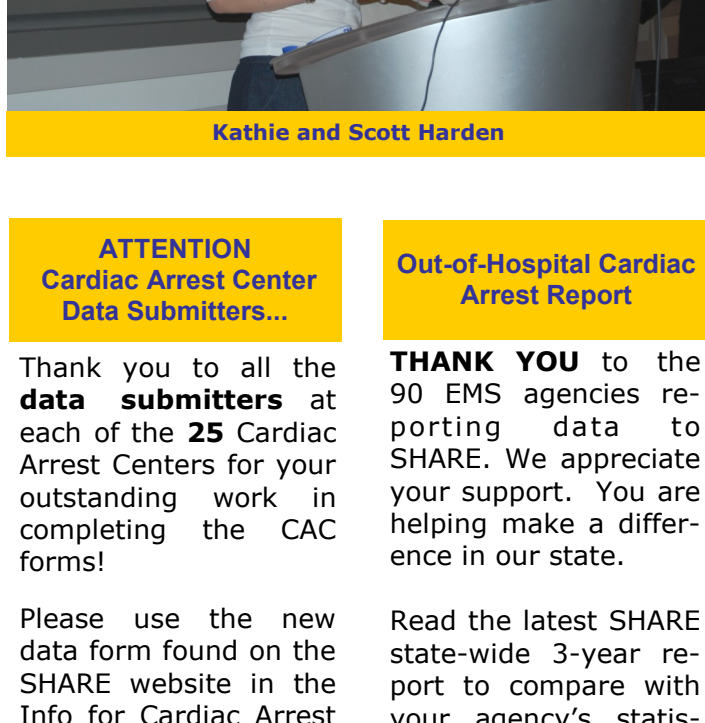
SHARE E-Newsletter

The SHARE Program Goal: the best outcomes for those suffering cardiac emergencies.

Summer 2009

Not a Dry Eye in the House...  
33-year-old retells her **SURVIVAL** story at  
April Cardiac Arrest Symposium

Read It Here...



Kathie and Scott Harden

Statewide Bystander  
CPR Rate Increases

Keep up the good  
work training your  
community!

Bystander cardiopulmonary resuscitation has a profound impact on out-of-hospital cardiac arrest survival. In March 2008, the American Heart Association (AHA) released a science advisory statement endorsing “Hands-Only” CPR for the public. The SHARE Program introduced its Your Hands—Their Heart program for schools and businesses last year. In addition to school training, citizens throughout the state have learned the new CPR technique through public access television, newspaper articles, and classes sponsored by fire departments, ambulance companies, and other groups. Bystander CPR rates have steadily increased in Arizona over the last several years—up from 37% in 2005 to 46% in 2008. Our goal is to have a **50%** bystander CPR rate.

ATTENTION  
Cardiac Arrest Center  
Data Submitters...

Thank you to all the **data submitters** at each of the **25** Cardiac Arrest Centers for your outstanding work in completing the CAC forms!

Please use the new data form found on the SHARE website in the Info for Cardiac Arrest Center section. New form found [HERE...](#)

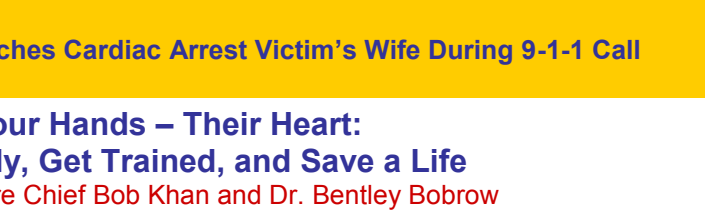
Out-of-Hospital Cardiac  
Arrest Report

**THANK YOU** to the 90 EMS agencies reporting data to SHARE. We appreciate your support. You are helping make a difference in our state.

Read the latest SHARE state-wide 3-year report to compare with your agency’s statistics. [OHCA Report...](#)

Scottsdale FD Youth Corp Volunteer Teaching CCC to City’s Young People

More than 160 middle and high school age youth participating in Scottsdale summer programs were trained on how to perform Continuous Chest Compressions (CCC) and use an AED. These



trainings were conducted by a student intern and four City of Scottsdale Youth Corp volunteers who spent part of their summer at Scottsdale Fire Department Headquarters. The youth also designed a CCC/AED PowerPoint presentation and filmed a video on how to become a lifesaver.

SHARE Will Advertise Your Public CCC Classes

The SHARE website has a master **calendar** of free, public Continuous Chest Compressions (CCC) classes being held throughout the state.

Join Glendale FD, Peoria FD, Scottsdale FD, Sun City FD, and Yuma FD, and notify your community of your upcoming classes. Click here to see [Calendar...](#)

Phoenix Dispatcher Coaches Cardiac Arrest Victim’s Wife During 9-1-1 Call

Your Hands – Their Heart:  
Get Ready, Get Trained, and Save a Life

by Phoenix Fire Chief Bob Khan and Dr. Bentley Bobrow

Read Article...

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